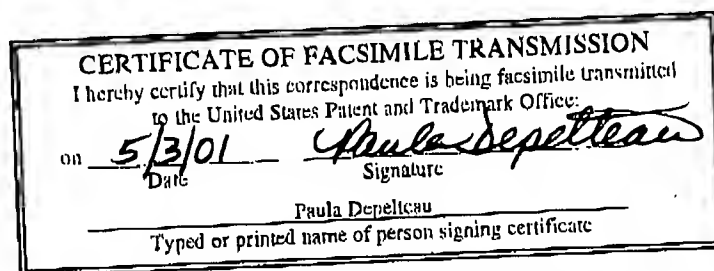


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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 14, 2001 in the above-identified application. This Amendment is also filed pursuant to several telephone interviews with the Examiner. Applicant greatly appreciates the Examiner's time and attention to this application.

Please amend the application as follows:

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 Please cancel Claims 9-12, 58, 60, 62-68, 75, 77, 81-86, 90, 92, 94, 100 and 102.

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